



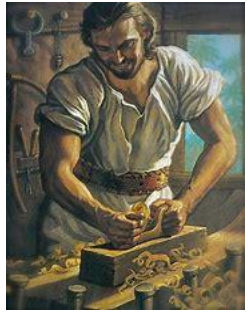
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Body and Blood of Christ

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ST. JOSEPH PARISH NEXT WEEK

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

Date	Location	Time	Details
Mon. June 7th	Private Mass		For All Teachers
Tues. June 8th	Private Mass		For All Students
Wed. June 9th	Private Mass		For All Hospital Workers
Thurs. June 10th	Private Mass		For The Lonely
Fri. June 11th	Private Mass		For All Volunteers
Sat. June 12th	Private Mass		For The Sick
Sun. June 13th	Private Mass		For All Parishioners

Ministries	4 pm Mass Saturday	10 am Mass Sunday
SACRISTAIN & LINENS	Deacon Roy Smith, Team	Deacon Roy Smith, Team
CHOIR		
GREETERS		
USHERS		
READERS		
PRESENTATION OF GIFTS		
EXTRAORDINARY MIN. OF HOLY COMMUNION	Deacon Roy	Deacon Roy
Cleaning of Church	Team	Team
PORTER - OPENS CHURCH	George Quirk	Calvin Gracie

PARISH NEWS.

St. Joseph Parish, North Sydney

Holy Cross Cemetery Care Committee

At this time, the Holy Cross Cemetery Care Committee members extend our condolences to you and your family on the loss of your loved one. This can be a difficult time for families, with many details to attend to. We hope that in sharing this document with you, it can serve as a reference of what to expect in relation to the burial of your loved one and what the associated costs are.

Our Committee is responsible for managing the ongoing care and maintenance of both the Holy Cross Cemetery and the older St. Joseph Cemetery. To ensure the cemetery grounds are cared for and maintained in excellent condition, we employ two Caretakers from May 1st to October 1st. We also maintain an electronic database of the cemetery plot plan. Funds to operate the cemeteries are generated from payments received for plot purchases and burials, as well as bequests.

Once we receive notification of death from the funeral home, a bill will be issued to you, which will include the amount owing for the requested plot(s), plus charges for the burial itself. Please note, this bill is separate and apart from any funeral home expense. Prices for single and multiple plots, as well as burial costs are listed below.

New Lots	Price
1- Grave Lot	\$625.00
2-Grave Lot	\$1000.00
3-Grave Lot	\$1375.00
4-Grave Lot	\$1650.00
5-Grave Lot	\$1950.00
Full Burial	\$800.00
Cremation Burial	\$500.00

Perpetual Care is included for the purchase of any plot(s). This includes seeding the plot(s) mowing and maintaining the area.

Using the price list above, the total cost for a single plot with cremation burial would be \$1125, while the cost for a single plot with full burial would be \$1425. For the purchase of multiple plots, the cost per plot is reduced. For instance, the purchase of two plots would be 1000. and if a cremation burial is requested that would be \$500. Bringing the total cost to \$1500.

Sincerely and in prayer.

Daniel McKeough, Committee Chair

Michael Tobin, Committee Vice Chair

Heather Duff, Committee Secretary

Maureen Guy, Committee Accounts

Sally Ryan, Committee Member

Father Doug MacDonald

HALL NEWS

Hall Envelopes - Donations to the hall are 100% levy free.

The finance committee created *new hall envelopes* that are available in the pews. For tax receipts write: *St. Joseph Hall* on your cheque.

COLLECTIONS ~ THANK YOU!

June 2 nd , 2021		
Envelopes		1985.00
Special Collections		150.00
Fuel		45.00
Holy Cross		
Candles		
Other		
Totals		2180.00
Hall Fund		280.00
Pre-Authorized Debit		3049.00

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

What is required for earthly peace?

Earthly peace requires the safeguarding of the goods of persons, free communication among human beings, respect for the dignity of persons and peoples, and the assiduous practices of justice and fraternity.

Further readings: CCC 2304, 2307, 2308



CONFÉRENCE DES ÉVÊQUES CATHOLIQUES DU CANADA
CANADIAN CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS

Statement from the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops following the recent discovery at the former Kamloops Indian Residential School on the Tk'emlúps te Secwépemc First Nation

On behalf of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCCB), I express our deepest sorrow for the heartrending loss of the children at the former Kamloops Indian Residential School on the Tk'emlúps te Secwépemc First Nation.

The news of the recent discovery is shocking. It rekindles trauma in numerous communities across this land. Honouring the dignity of the lost little ones demands that the truth be brought to light.

This tragedy profoundly impacts Indigenous communities, with whom many people across this land and throughout the world now stand in solidarity.

As we see ever more clearly the pain and suffering of the past, the Bishops of Canada pledge to continue walking side by side with Indigenous Peoples in the present, seeking greater healing and reconciliation for the future.

We lift up prayers to the Lord for the children who have lost their lives and pledge our close accompaniment of Indigenous families and communities.

May our Creator God bless all of us with consolation and hope.

+ Richard Gagnon
Archbishop of Winnipeg and
President of the Canadian Conference
of Catholic Bishops
31 May 2021

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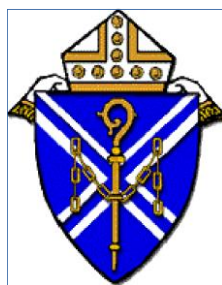
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Pastoral Note
(09/2021)



June 1, 2021

My Dear People

As noted in the *Seven Ears of Grain*, our weekly newsletter issued yesterday, the Diocese of Antigonish is deeply saddened by the news that the remains of 215 children were found buried at the former Kamloops Indian Residential School in British Columbia on the Tk'emlúps te Secwépemc First Nation. We pray for these children, their families and communities, and we hope that continued investigation will bring light and healing to this dark chapter of history.

We all feel the shock and grief of what has happened but we grieve especially for our First Nation Mi'kmaq people within the diocese and beyond. The renewal of suffering is a set back to the process of healing. We desire to be close to, and supporting of, our Mi'kmaq brothers and sisters. We want our words to become visible in our actions and in our shared life with our Mi'kmaq people.

There are memorials being offered and it is good for us to pray. We cannot change what has happened, but what we can do is pray for these children and their families and do all that we can to assist investigators in bringing to light what happened and then work to ensure that this does not happen again.

I think of the disciples on the road to Emmaus during troubling and dark times. How did this happen and why did it happen? They were deeply troubled and discouraged. They were experiencing the grief process. As they journeyed, Jesus walked the road with them. He listened to them as they told their sad story to him. As the disciples found light and hope amid the darkness of death and despair

so will all of us, if we remember their simple little prayer:
Stay with us Lord! Be our companion as we journey on the
road ahead.

Fraternally,

+ *Wayne Kirkpatrick*

(Most Rev.) Wayne Kirkpatrick
Bishop of Antigonish

Quote Of The Week

“We can’t have full knowledge all at once. We must start by believing; then afterwards we may be led on to master the evidence for ourselves.”

St. Thomas Aquinas

Angels In The Dark

Shadows pass the School Yard,
Is that a cry in the wind,
The Eagles fly with broken hearts ,
Guarding over,
Graves within,
So many little children,
Taken from their homes,
No voice, no cry, no utter,
Together, yet alone.
The years have passed,
On sacred soil,
The truth has risen from the earth,
Unknown to those who live in the dark,
The victims below the dirt,
But now light brings them home,
We must do our part,
Grant peace and rest,
Upon the souls of these children,
Angels of our Lord,
Give voice and justice,
To the silent cry,
From the School yard,
And bring these Angels home.
Angela Iannetti

Community Compassionate Care

Kids Help Phone – 1-800-668-6868

Prevention Through Action – Reporting and healing incidents of abuse or misconduct in our diocese. Rev. Charles Cameron 1-902-863-4373 or email: charleshugh7@gmail.com.

Canada Suicide Prevention Service –

1-833-456-4566 or Text. 45645

Canadian Sport Abuse Help Line: - call/text: 1-888-837-7678

info@abuse-free-sport.ca

Compassionate Community Care – 1-855-675-8749

Euthanasia Prevention Advice, Support, Confidential and Free.

Expectant Mother Fund -diapers, formula, and baby accessories for parents in need. Phone 902 794 3951

PEACE BE WITH YOU AND HAVE A GREAT WEEK
